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REMARKS

In response to the office action of April 23, 2002 the applicant herby elects claims 1-12 with traverse. Applicant submits it is an undue financial burden on an applicant to have to pursue an application in three separate classes and request withdrawal of the election.

> Respectfully submitted, JACOBSON AND JOHNSON

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